

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON**

STATE OF WASHINGTON, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

V.

DONALD J. TRUMP, in his official capacity as  
President of the United States, et al.,

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 2:25-cv-00244-LJK

## NOTICE OF APPEARANCE

The Clerk of Court will please enter the appearance of Christian S. Daniel, Trial Attorney for the U.S. Department of Justice, as appearing on behalf of Defendants in the above-captioned matter.

Dated: February 11, 2025

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